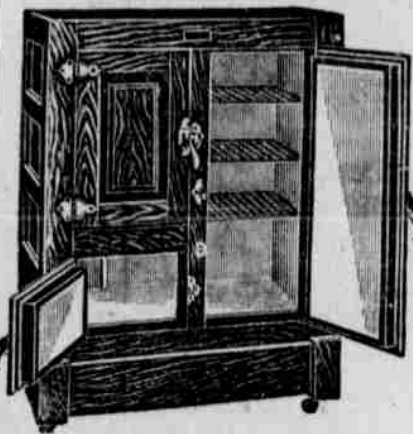


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Colored cheese cloth 3c at Knight's. Cash paid for old gold and silver. F. E. Burr.

It pays to save the coupons given with each loaf of Tru-Blu bread. Eastman Bros.

Ross service means sanitary tonsorial methods in a congenial atmosphere. Five chairs. Ross, Depot square.

Spaulding graduation hymns for any class. Hand-colored. 75c. Order now. Room 15, Aldrich Bldg. Tel. 93-W.

Copper and tin washboilers, clothes wringers and sad irons, teakettles and teapots. E. A. Prindle, Depot square.

Andes ranges are the best on the market. Get prices before buying. E. A. Prindle, Depot square. Phone 595-1.

Call 152-W for furniture moving and heavy trucking by auto truck at reasonable rates. Vermont Trucking & Sales Co.

O. B. Marron and son have returned to their home in Portsmouth, N. H., after spending several days in Barre and vicinity on business.

Oscar Stacy, who pleaded guilty to a second offense of intoxication in city court yesterday, paid a \$15 fine and costs in the afternoon, thereby securing his release.

Thomas R. Waterman, tenor soloist, vocal teacher and coach, will be at 17 Wellington street, Monday, May 8, from 2 to 6 and 7 to 9 p. m. Tel. 128-1 or Hotel Barre.—adv.

Hugh Cole, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cole of Orange street, has been assigned to the coast section in the college band at the University of Vermont. Mr. Cole was formerly affiliated with the Barre Citizens' band.

F. M. Scantlebury, a representative of the Phoenix Machine Co., who has been registered at Hotel Barre for several days, has returned to New York, after having installed several letter-cutting devices in local storehouses.

Ten dollars in gold to the boy or girl 18 years and under who presents the best design and wording to be used on the stationery, letter-heads and envelopes of the Barre Board of Trade. Designs must be in the hands of the secretary on or before May 25, 1916.

Mrs. H. J. Conant, who accompanied the remains of her brother, Albert Holden of Boston, a former resident of Barre, to this city for burial early in the week, has returned to her home in Lowell, Mass., after having visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Howe of South Main street.

Good opportunity to purchase a drug store—Good business, in excellent location, in a wide-awake city of 12,500 population; only three other drug stores in the city. Lobby of Park theatre, Vermont's best photoplay house, through drug store. Proprietor has other business to attend and wishes to sell. Up-to-date store. Write for full particulars. The Barre Drug Store Co., 237-239 North Main street, Barre.

William E. McCaffrey arrived in the city this morning from Boston and will be employed, beginning Monday, as a soda clerk in the Crown pharmacy. Austin O. McNeil, who has been engaged as a clerk in the pharmacy for several months, will complete his duties this evening, leaving next week for Syracuse, N. Y., where he is to pass the summer. A new soda fountain is to be installed in the pharmacy within a few days.

Alexander McKenize of Boston, who was engaged as a foreman while the river bed project was under way on Prospect street and who later had charge of the construction work on the Trow & Holden dam, was a business visitor in the city yesterday, returning last night to Newbury, where he has been awarded the contract for installing a new water system. While in Barre Mr. McKenize, who is in need of labor for the project, engaged several workmen to begin on the job Monday morning.

Barre granite is to be plentifully exhibited at the forthcoming annual convention of the National Retail Monument Dealers' association in Cleveland, O., according to the recently completed schedule of floor space assignments. The following firms in this vicinity have made reservations on the main floor of the auditorium where the exhibits are to be shown: Jones Bros. Co., Cross Bros. of Northfield, Phillips & Slack of Northfield, Adie & Milne, E. A. Bugbee & Co., Novelli & Calcegni, Littlejohn, Odgers & Milne, G. R. Bianchi & Co., Vanetti Granite Co., North Barre Granite Co., the World Granite Co., Carswell, Wetmore Co., N. Pelagatti & Co., Chiodi Bros., Rizzi Bros. and Davis Bros. of West Berlin. A number of Barre manufacturers are planning to attend the convention, which is to be held Aug. 15-19.

Orange county authorities are still working on the mystery which hedges around the death of Joseph Felch, a prosperous Waits River farmer, who was found dead one morning recently with a bullet wound in his head. No arrests have been made since a hired man in the employ of the Felches was lodged in the county jail at Chelsea. It is stated that Bert Wentworth of Dover, N. H., known throughout New England as a fingerprint expert, has been asked to assist in the investigation. Waits River, Topsham and Orange people, naturally interested in the mystery, are looking for developments in the near future. An Orange farmer, living next to the Topsham line, stated yesterday that speculation is rife among acquaintances of the dead man as to the outcome of the investigation which is now in progress. State's Atty. Frank S. Williams of Bradford, who formerly practiced law in Barre, is being assisted by Atty. Gen. H. G. Barber, who has been dividing his time between an alleged murder in Bethel and the affair at Waits River.

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Everybody is Getting Ready for Summer

This is just the time of the year when everyone is making preparation for the summer season. Clean-up time is now on in earnest. Every lady is cleaning up and fixing up her home, ready for summer. This is the time when she thinks of Lace Curtains and the added beauty they mean to the home. There is no one thing that you put into the home that adds so much to the appearance of the home as a good Curtain at the window. Our full line of Ready-to-Hang Curtains is now in stock, and the values we can show you are the best we ever had. These values were bought before the advance in price of Laces, and we are giving you the benefit of our foresight.

If you have ever had the Ready-to-Hang Curtain, you surely appreciate the beauty of this Curtain and the fine finish which the Ready-to-Hang top gives to the room. See our display of these Curtains in our north show window.

Ladies' Separate Coats

While in the market the first of the week, we were able to pick up some Coat and Suit values that will interest any who want a good Coat value.

The Light Colored and White Chinchilla Coats are very popular this season; so much so that it is hard to get them as fast as the demand is for them. We were able to get hold of some of these Coats in quantities that are the best, and are putting them out at a price that will interest any who want such a garment.

See the special light mixed broken check Chinchilla Coat at \$12.50.

At special prices are about fifty odd Coat values. These are Coats we cannot duplicate, and one we picked up this week at less than the regular price. These are on one rack at prices that will appeal to any who want a medium Coat value.

We have just received some new Coat models in the Tans, Blues and Black. These are fine cloths, made in the newest designs and cloths that are serviceable and new.

Ladies' Tailored Suits

We are now offering you some Suit values that will surely interest many who want a good Suit for the season. These are Suits we were able to pick up when in the market, together with a few odd Suits we had in stock.

At \$25.00 each we have on one rack a lot of Suits that are the best and newest cuts. Are odd Suits we have in stock and some we picked up this week. These are a regular \$27.50 and \$30.00 Suit, in styles and cuts of only one each in a good line of sizes; but more small sizes than of the larger sizes.

At \$25.00 these Suits are extra values. The styles are the best, and the designs are new and different; are quantities that were made to sell at from \$27.50 to \$32.50.

At \$18.00 we have some extra good Suit values in Blues and Black. These are many of them new in design. The cloths are good in quality and fast in color. Materials are Serges, Poplins and Gabardines.

We have some good values in the Black and White Shepherd Plaid Suits—Suits that are new and different.

What Are the Best Things in Wash Goods?

When you can answer this question, you are going to have kinds that are being used by better trade.

You are going to buy quality with style. You are to get just a little better for the price you pay.

If you decide upon our judgment, we recommend without hesitating the following.

There is nothing of better value in our store than our 27-inch Endurance Cloth. This comes in over 25 different colors and styles, in fast colors, and wears better than Gingham and sells at 15c per yard.

Renfrew Devonshire Cloth comes in over 30 different designs. Sunproof and tubproof; comes 32 inches wide. This cloth is being sold by us at 20c per yard. In other cities at 22c and 25c, and a little later we will have to follow their higher prices. Remember, price to-day 20c per yard.

If our goods were bought late, we would have to charge you on all lines more than we are to-day. Early buying has helped us. It is helping you to better goods at a better price.

There are lots of kinds in our Bargain Basement that if you can use will allow you a good saving.

Spring Millinery was never so pretty as this season. Those who have selected have very pretty Hats. New Shapes, new Trimmings, make these later Hats fully up to early designs. New lot of Misses' Hats just received. Ready for Saturday's rush.

The Daylight Store

Meet Me at the Barre Candy Kitchen

Most up-to-date store for Candy and Ice Cream in town. Candy specials every week.

To-day Cornodgers 9c a dozen

We manufacture all our Candy and Ice Cream, in a way warranted to be absolutely pure and fresh.

ICE CREAM

At this time our Ice Cream is better than ever. Our Ice Cream is made with pure 25 per cent. cream, sugar and fresh native eggs.

Visit our store and try our Fancy College Ices. They are delicious. Our Ice Cream by the gallon, \$1.25; more than a gallon at special price.

We also make French Ice Cream for parties, etc., for \$1.75 a gallon.

FREE DELIVERY

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We Specialize On



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because we believe they have no equal for the money. If you try them, you'll think so, too.

\$4.50 and \$5.00 — Oxfords and Shoes

The People's Shoe Store

C. S. Andrews, Prop. 187 No. Main St., Barre, Vt.

Houghton & Robins

Good-Will Corn, 7 cans for 50c
Early June Peas, sweet and tender, 3 cans for 25c
Garden Beets, No. 3 cans, 2 cans for 25c
California Cling Peaches, 2 cans for 25c
Pint bottles of Van Camp's Ketchup, each 17c
6 packages of Takoma Biscuits for 25c
3 lbs. of Fresh Cookies for 25c
3 lbs. of Ginger Snaps or Oyster Crackers for 25c
Gilt Edge Coffee, 3 lbs. for \$1.00
Bulk Olives, per quart 35c
3 lbs. of Fresh Cookies for 25c
Oranges, 16 for 25c; per dozen 35c, 40c
Grapefruit, 5c each; 3 and 4 for 25c
More of those nice Baldwin Apples, per peck 45c
Drake's Cakes, 7 varieties, each 10c
Dexter's Union-Made Bread
Plenty of Strawberries for Saturday

Native Chickens, per lb. 28c
Legs of Lamb, per lb. 25c
Lamb Fores, per lb. 19c
Western Beef Roasts, per lb. 20c to 25c
Veal Roasts, per lb. 20c to 25c
Spinach Greens, Cucumbers, Radishes, Celery, Rhubarb, New Cabbage, Parsnips, Texas Onions
FRESH MACKEREL AND FINNAN HADDIE

Friday and Saturday

Fruit Bargins

FRESH STRAWBERRIES

ARRIVE TWICE A DAY, MORNING AND NIGHT—PRICES LOW

ORANGES

15c PER DOZEN UP TO 50c

GRAPEFRUITS

5c, 8c AND 10c EACH

LEMONS

25c AND 35c PER DOZEN

WESTERN APPLES

25c AND 35c PER DOZEN

BANANAS

15c, 20c AND 25c PER DOZEN

FRESH TOMATOES, CUCUMBERS, ASPARAGUS AND CELERY WILL ARRIVE HERE TO-DAY

Our Delicious Ice Cream

IS MADE IN FOUR FLAVORS
Take a pint, quart or gallon home for your Sunday dinner. When downstairs, also and have a refreshing drink at our fountain

QUICK DELIVERY—TEL. 248

United Fruit Store

G. MANIATTI, PROP.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Linen canvas 15c at Knight's.

If I win, will not sell pony. Save votes for me. Wilmarth Morris.—adv.

Mrs. George Stephenson has returned to her home in Hardwick, after spending several days with friends in Barre and vicinity.

We placed large orders for shoes before the advance in leather, therefore are able to sell at old prices. See our viscol tan working shoes at \$2.38, fully warranted. Eastman Bros.

Ira C. Calef of Washington, while in the city yesterday on business, called on acquaintances, who were glad to learn that he is steadily regaining his health after a serious illness sustained last winter.

The following item from a Randolph contemporary will be read with avidity by local sportsmen: "Elwin Scott of Barre captured what is known as a brown or German trout near East Granville Tuesday that weighed two and three-quarters pounds." When brother anglers of the Walton club in Barre confronted Atty. Scott with the rumor of his good fortune, he acknowledged the corn but denied any preconceived notion of violating the neutrality of the profession by fishing for German trout.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Mrs. R. D. Moxley, dressmaker, 17 Aldrich block, McDonnell system.—adv.

Dartmouth Independents vs. Italian A. C. at the Berlin street grounds Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Weaver and Comoli with Pat Willard on the mound for the Hanover team.

Baseball holds the center of the stage for the followers of two local teams today, while the fortunes of a third team, the Goddard seminary outfit, are eagerly watched by the student body of that institution. Spaulding plays the Johnson high school team at Lincoln campus this afternoon and while the schoolboys are warming up in Gospel Village, the Italian A. C. and the Dartmouth Independents will be getting ready for their encounter on the Berlin street grounds at 3 o'clock.

This afternoon Goddard is scheduled to play St. Peter's Athletic association in Rutland. The seminary team won both of its games yesterday and, oddly enough, by the same score of 14 to 1. The first victim of the slaughter was the Middlebury college second team, the game being played in Middlebury in the forenoon, after which the Goddard boys journeyed to Rutland, where they repeated the punishment on Rutland high school in the afternoon.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Coming! A progressive dinner of six courses, in which Scotland, Sweden, Italy, France, Holland, China and Japan will be represented, given by the ladies of the M. E. church. Watch for further notice.

H. M. Farnham, the horse man, will hold his next (50th) big combination auction sale of horses and other property at his stables at 98 Northfield street, Montpelier, Vt., on Friday, May 12, 1916; 28 fresh horses and lot of other property. C. F. Smith, auctioneer.—adv.

First-class auto stage, beginning Monday, May 1, Barre to Hardwick, via Montpelier, Woodbury, etc. Leave Hotel Barre 3:30 p. m. Montpelier house 4:30; arrive in Hardwick at 6 p. m. Returning, leave Hardwick at 9 a. m., arrive Montpelier house at 10:30, Hotel Barre 11 a. m. M. T. Michaud.

REPUBLICAN CITY CAUCUS.

The Republican voters of the city of Barre, Vermont, are hereby notified and warned to meet in caucus at the city court room, city hall building, in said city, on Tuesday evening, May 16, 1916, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of transacting the following business, viz.:

To elect seven (7) delegates to the Republican State Convention to be held at Montpelier, Vermont, Friday, May 26, 1916, to elect eight delegates and eight alternates to the Republican National Convention, to be held in Chicago, Illinois, on June 7, 1916.

To elect a city committee for the ensuing two years.

To do any other proper business. Dated at Barre, Vermont, this 5th day of May, 1916.

Per order, REPUBLICAN CITY COMMITTEE.

Berry Brothers' Varnishes

A small lot to close

Liquid Granite \$2.50 per gallon
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GOOD VALUES FOR SATURDAY

Good size smooth juicy Grapefruit, 80 to the box, for Saturday, each 5c
Hand-picked Pea Beans, 2 quarts for 25c
Hand-picked Yellow-Eye Beans, 2 quarts for 25c
16 Oranges for 25c
Comb Honey, per carton 20c
Nice, smooth, mealy Potatoes, per peck 35c
A few more Home-Cured Hams, per lb. 18c
Native Pig Pork Roasts, per lb. 16c, 18c, 20c
Best Beef Roasts, heavy western loin roasts, lb. 20c
New Bermuda or Texas Onions, per lb. 5c
Fresh Native Rhubarb, per lb. 10c
Beef or Pork Sausage, 2 lbs. for 25c
Fresh Lettuce, Celery, Cucumbers, Radishes, etc.
Strawberries are coming fine and are cheap.

Strictly fresh-caught Eastern Halibut, lb. 15c
Fresh Smoked Finnan Haddies, per lb. 12c

Pure Whipped Cream Goods, Baked Beans, and Brown Bread. Full line of fresh, up-to-date Pastry. Three loaves Fresh Cream Bread for 25c
We have the goods and own them right and can do you good, not only in price, but quality.

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